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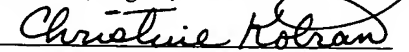
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Title : MEDICAL ACTIVE SUBSTANCE PATCH WITH  
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(as amended herein)

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: